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HA UPDATE

INFORMATION BRIEF



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Pandemic Preparedness

- **Antiviral Stockpiling**
- **Enhanced Surveillance**
- **Interagency cooperation**
- **Status of PHEO at installations**



Antiviral Stockpile

- **15 million doses of oseltamivir (Tamiflu)**
 - Funding for entire stockpile this FY
 - Contract with Roche
 - Expected delivery August-October 2005
- **Priorities**
 - Prophylaxis for Critical operational forces
 - Prophylaxis for critical healthcare workers
 - Limited treatment capacity for beneficiaries



Surveillance Issues

- **No additional funding to DoD for increased surveillance efforts**
- **Enhanced cooperation with CDC-led efforts, esp. in Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos**
- **NAMRU-2 (Jakarta) and AFRIMS (Bangkok) labs ideally located to support efforts by other USG agencies**



STATUS PHEOs

- **HA requested Services to assess and provide feedback**
 - Lead Agency within Service
 - Service Directive(s)
 - Number and Specialty of PHEOs
 - Percent of Installations with finalized Response Plans
 - Exercise completed
 - Harmonization with local, state and regional civilian leaders
 - Recommendation for PHEO training
 - Recommendation Training for Commanders